REMARKS

Allowed claims 42 and 43 have been amended to recite that each weight bearing support includes "a first rigid attachment attached to a different one of the opposed sides of the hopper and a second rigid attachment attached to the frame". subject matter is generic to the embodiments illustrated in Figs. 4, 9, and 13. The description of the first rigid attachment in allowed claims 42 and 43 refers to the attachment being attached to a different one of the opposed sides of the However, claims 42 and 43 recite "the first and second frame. load cells attaching the first and second rigid attachments together and being loaded with weight transferred from the first rigid attachment through the first and second load cells to the second rigid attachment. Therefore, it is clear that the preceding paragraphs in claims 42 and 43 should recite "a first rigid attachment attached to a different one of the opposed sides of the hopper" since this is the relationship required to have weight transferred from the first rigid attachment through the first and second load cells to the second rigid attachment.

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